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TELEGRAPHIC.

OTTAWA, July 20.

Sandford Fleming left for Winnipeg last night to meet Owen Jones, director of the Pacific Cable Company, for the purpose of discussing the establishment of a cable between Canada and Australia.

A Quebec despatch was published here this evening stating that Gen. Middleton had been hastily summoned to Ottawa on account of the Indian trouble in British Columbia. There is the best of authority for saying that there is no truth in the statement.

OTTAWA, July 19.

The government yesterday notified the troops at Victoria to proceed at a moment's notice to the scene of the uprising among the British Columbia Indians. The deputy adjutant general reports the local force in a deplorable condition. Its total strength is 350 officers and men, and these, with the exception of "C" battery, are poorly accoutred.

OTTAWA, July 22.

F. M. Gisborne, superintendent of government telegraphs, will visit Manitoba and British Columbia this fall.

McLean & Co. of London, England, offer 2,500 shares of \$100 each of the Commercial Bank of Manitoba at £22 per share, to meet growing business.

OTTAWA, July 25.

Capt. Moore of Prince Albert is here on his way home, after a three years visit to Ireland.

Sir A. P. Caron gave a flat denial this afternoon to the statement of the Victoria Times that he had instructed Col. Holmes of Victoria to order out "C" battery. The department is receiving offers for service at Skeena from all quarters. Col. Mansol of Fredericton, New Brunswick, says "A" school is ready at any moment, and also the provisional battalion of New Brunswick. The minister replies to the effect that the provincial authorities of British Columbia have the matter in hand.

TORONTO, July 19.

The grand lodge of Canada, A.F. & A.M., to-day elected officers and closed its session. R. T. Walker, G. C., Kingston, was elected grand master. Owen Sound was selected as the place of next meeting.

WINNIPEG, July 21.

E. P. Roe the author died late on Thursday night at his house in Cornwall on the Hudson of neuralgia of the heart.

The Skeena outbreak may still be regarded as incipient, but the best authorities on the district and its inhabitants maintain that it presents serious aspects. The Indians of that region are a savage race and have been brought into but slight contact with the influences of civilization. It is rumored that the Metlakatla Indians, who moved from British Columbia to Alaska two years ago, will join the hostile tribes.

WINNIPEG, July 23.

Gabriel Dumont is still in Montreal. He was amusing himself at pigeon shooting at last accounts.

Lieut-governor Royal of the North-West Territories arrived here from Regina on Saturday. He proceeded east on Sunday for his family, with whom he will return in about three weeks.

John Ogilvie of the firm of Ogilvie Bros., millers and grain dealers, died suddenly in Montreal on the morning of the 23d of heart disease. The Winnipeg grain exchange held a meeting and passed a resolution expressing sympathy with the friends of the deceased.

REGINA, July 20.

A. M. Burgess and party will remain here a day on their return from the coast to hear arguments against the fees now charged under the Torrens system.

REGINA, July 25.

A. E. Forget is administrator of the North-West government during Mr. Dewdney's absence.

Mayor Hamilton says the point which Mr. Secord and himself make against the present tariff under the Torrens system is that a fee for inspection should not be charged. There is no necessity for registrar's abstract, it evidently being a mistake in requiring such to be given.

CALGARY, July 25.

Major Hatton ordered to-day 18 cars to ship 300 cattle to Birkenhead & Co., Montreal, on consignment.

Norquay had a majority of two over MacArthur in the Kildonan election to the Manitoba legislature.

LOCAL.

RIVER high.

HEAVY rain Thursday evening.

PUBLIC school opens on Monday.

A. W. R. MARKLEY left for Battleford on Friday on the Minnow.

C. L. SHAW and D. McLeod left on a trip to Calgary this morning.

MR. CARTER arrived from Calgary to-day with a load of fresh fruit.

PHILLIP TATE arrived from the Grand Rapids of the Athabasca this week.

THE Minnow arrived from Lamoureux Landing on Thursday afternoon.

CHAS. STEWART of Stewart & Bannerman, arrived from the Landing on Sunday.

MR. LINDSAY, traveller for Rogers of Calgary, went south on Thursday's stage.

THE Minnow left on Friday at noon for Battleford, with barges of coal and lumber.

DAVID LADOUCEUR, trader of Lac la Biche, arrived this week and sold his fur to the H. B. C.

MR. LINDSAY, Methodist mission school teacher at Whitefish lake, left for home on Tuesday.

SEVERAL seizures of timber for non-payment of dues have been made at St. Albert this week.

REV. GEO. H. LONG left on Thursday on a two week's trip to Victoria and vicinity, accompanied by Mrs. Long.

REV. J. A. McLACHLAN of Victoria, accompanied by Mrs. McLachlan, arrived on Saturday and returned on Thursday.

THE meeting of the Edmonton Cemetery Company advertised last week for July 31st has been postponed to August 4th.

THERE will be no service in the Methodist church, Edmonton, on July 29th or August 5th owing to the absence of the minister.

THE passengers who left Edmonton by the North-West on the 10th inst. arrived in Winnipeg on Monday last, having made the trip in two weeks.

MESSRS. JAS. McDONALD and K. A. McLeod builders and contractors, have entered into partnership under the firm name of McDonald & McLeod.

JOHN T. FLYNN and family arrived from Burke's Falls, Ontario, last week. He brought a car load of agricultural implements to Calgary.

COMPLAINT is made that a horse with eyes very badly affected with a foul disease is at large in town. It is feared that the disease may be contagious.

COLIN FRASER, trader at Ft. Chipewyan, arrived from the Landing on Tuesday accompanied by his family. He disposed of his winter's trade of fur to the H. B. Co. at the Landing.

J. HOPESON and Dan Gould of Prince Albert, who passed through Edmonton last summer for Peace river, and who were reported missing last winter, turned up all right this spring.

THREE passengers by Monday's stage: Miss Kelly returning from a visit to Calgary, Mr. Lindsay, traveller for Rogers, hardware merchant, of Calgary and Mr. Macdonald, who will cook at the Jasper House.

JACQUES BROS., furniture dealers of Calgary, are announced in the Tribune as selling out with a view of moving to California. This firm was a short time ago expected to open a branch establishment in Edmonton.

P. PRUDEN and "Shot," of Lac la Biche, who have been trading during the past winter at Chipewyan and Fort Smith, have arrived at Lac la Biche with their winter's trade, and will be in Edmonton shortly.

I. COWIE, H. B. officer in charge of Ft. McMurray on the Athabasca river, arrived on Tuesday from the Landing, accompanied by Mrs. Cowie and children. Mr. McLean, son of the late Bishop of Saskatchewan, was also of the party.

DAN CAREY, an old Peace River miner and trader who has resided at St. Albert for the past five years, left on Tuesday for his old home in Litchfield, Connecticut, U. S., accompanied by his family. He left Connecticut for the west 33 years ago.

AN arbitration was in progress yesterday at Peacock's auction rooms between Messrs. Thos. Smith and Jas. Gibbons to estimate the value of services rendered and damages sustained by a horse, the property of the former. The parties have entered into bonds of \$250 each to abide by the decision of the arbitrators, who are J. F. Smith for Thos. Smith and J. McL. Peacock for Gibbons. The case will be continued on Monday.

THE Presbyterian church picnic held on Thursday on the race course was very largely attended by the children, who one and all seemed to enjoy themselves immensely. Prizes were given them for skipping, running, etc. The attendance of the parents was not as large as expected, for which no doubt the excessive heat was the cause.

A MEETING of the business board of the Methodist church, Edmonton, was held in the church on Tuesday evening to take into consideration the advisability of improving the church. It was resolved to take steps to have the walls sided up and painted, a new floor laid, new pews put in, a porch built on the outside and new window casings put on.

WORD was brought in by hunters some weeks ago that the beaver on the Athabasca river and its tributaries had died during the past winter and spring in thousands—that they were in fact almost exterminated. Subsequent reports have partly confirmed these statements, and are to the effect that the destruction extends from the foot-hills of the Rockies to Ft. McMurray on the Athabasca. Some say that disease is the cause of the trouble. Others, that owing to dry seasons the streams on which the beavers build their dams have got so low that during last winter the dams in which their food is stored under the ice froze to the bottom and prevented their getting at it, thereby starving them to death. And further, that where this did not occur or was only partly the case, as the spring was remarkably late it is probable that the supply of food ran out before the ice broke, and they were thus starved. Whatever may have been the reason the fact remains that throughout a great extent of country that ordinarily turns out thousands of skins in a year, the output this season will be very greatly decreased, and it will be some years before it can be expected to come up to the old figure.

WALLACE MORAY and William Alexander started for Peace river last fall, but got no further than the Athabasca river near old Fort Assiniboine, where they made up their minds to camp and trap all winter. Some time in February or March they came in to Edmonton for supplies and Alexander concluded to remain here while Moray decided to go back to the Athabasca and finish the winter as he had begun it. Shortly after his return he was taken with inflammatory rheumatism, and after suffering great pain for some time his legs became powerless so that he could not move about. This was in the spring about the time the ice went out. Unable to help himself he lay alone for some days expecting death from starvation. At last a party of Indians happened to pass that way and Moray arranged with them to take him down stream to the Landing, but as they wished to take him on horse back and he was only able to travel by boat, they left him, having first cooked a pot of beaver soup for him, upon which he lived for some days. By some of the Indians coming in to the Indian farm at Riviere Qui Barre, Moray sent a letter describing his condition. The letter reached Edmonton on June 23rd, and Alexander started at once to the relief of his partner, the distance being about 90 miles. On reaching him he found him very low, but in a short time he recovered sufficiently to take passage in a canoe, which he had made before he fell sick, for the Landing, where he rested for a few days before coming in to Edmonton. Since his arrival here on Wednesday last his strength has improved greatly.

MRS. F. PAGERIE desires to thank her friends and the public for their patronage in the past, and to inform them that she will continue to do

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

MCDONALD & MCLEOD, Builders and Contractors. Sash and Doors on hand and made to order. Plans and estimates of buildings furnished. Office and shop at junction of Jasper avenue and Main street.

JAS. McDONALD. K. A. McLEOD.

PUBLIC MEETING.

A meeting of the citizens of Edmonton and vicinity is hereby called for Tuesday evening the 31st inst. in Stewart & Bannerman's hall at 7:30 p.m. for the purpose of advocating the appointment of the Hon. Edgar Dewdney as Minister of the Interior. By order of the committee.

C. F. STRANG,
Secretary.

Edmonton, 27th July, 1888.

NOTICE.

EDMONTON CEMETERY COMPANY, (LIMITED)

The adjourned annual general meeting of the shareholders of the Edmonton Cemetery Company (limited), is again adjourned to be held in Stewart & Bannerman's Hall, Edmonton, on

SATURDAY, THE 4TH DAY OF AUGUST, NEXT, At the hour of 7:30 p.m., when the annual reports will be submitted and the Directors for the ensuing year elected, as well as other business transacted.

C. F. STRANG, Sec'y-Treas.
Edmonton, July 26th, 1888.

LOST from the race course, Edmonton, on July 1st
Small Red Horse, white face, large bell on, branded;
Small Brown Horse, crooked nose, no white, no brand.

Parties knowing their whereabouts are requested to inform Rev. Father Grandin, St. Joachim's, Edmonton, or the owner,

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At her new dwelling north side Jasper Avenue. Millinery, Dressmaking, Underclothing, Babies' whole suits, etc. Terms moderate. Butter and eggs taken.
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The Hay Privileges on the

TWO HILLS INDIAN RESERVE,
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TUESDAY, JULY 31ST AT 2 P. M.,

By John McLean Peacock at his auction room, Main Street, Edmonton, in blocks of one section each.

TERMS.—Cash at time of sale.
W. C. DE BALLINHARD,
Indian Agent.

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EDMONTON BULLETIN, JULY 28, 1888.

THE MINISTRY OF INTERIOR.

Two weeks ago the BULLETIN expressed its opinion regarding the appointment of lieutenant-governor Dewdney as minister of the interior, taking the ground that his having held an important position in the North-West as a highly-paid official of the federal government for a term of years was not in any sense a qualification for representing the people of the North-West in that government, but rather the reverse. A proper representation of the North-West in the federal cabinet means the governing of the Territories according to North-West ideas as far as they may agree with federal interests, while Mr. Dewdney's training has been in the line of governing according to Ottawa ideas, with as little regard as possible to the wants or wishes of the people of the North-West. And further, that if his qualification for the position consisted in his having held high office in the North-West for a term of years, his future course as minister might fairly be judged by that which he pursued as lieutenant-governor and Indian commissioner, and that according to his conduct of these offices he should be praised or blamed, and should be held acceptable or otherwise to the people of the North-West. The BULLETIN further said that any of the four men who had lately been selected by the people of the North-West to represent them in parliament would fill the cabinet position more acceptably to them than Mr. Dewdney.

It is not strange that a man who has for years had at command an amount of official and business patronage such as Mr. Dewdney has, and who is the prospective appointee to a position where that patronage will be immeasurably increased, should find many enthusiastic advocates ready to uphold him in everything or to search out attacks, more or less imaginary, in order that they may pose as champions in his defence. It is a little strange, however, to find the zeal of such defences so little tempered with discretion that they rush in to defend what is incapable of defence and thereby condemn what they desire to uphold. The ferocity of Mr. Tims' attack upon this paper and its proprietor in his letter purporting to be in defence of Mr. Dewdney which appears in this issue, is proof that if he does not defend him it is because he cannot, while his letter is proof that he cannot for in it he does not. He admits the mal-administration charged against Mr. Dewdney by pleading that it was partly due to errors of judgment and partly to the fact that his superiors at Ottawa acted contrary to his judgment. If Mr. Dewdney made so many and such flagrant errors of judgment that his superiors at Ottawa whose commissioner or responsible agent he was could not depend upon his advice it is a poor reason for the people of the North-West to ask for his elevation to a cabinet position, when the material welfare of this whole region and its inhabitants would depend so very greatly on the soundness of his judgment as well as the honesty of his intentions. The man whose errors of judgment led to such deplorable results in the North-West and whose word had so little weight with his superiors as Mr. Tims says Mr. Dewdney's had, is not the man the country requires to fill the shoes of the late Hon. Thos. White, and carry on and perfect the reforms in the administration of North-West affairs that he commenced and that are so necessary. The office is one that requires something more than that the holder shall be a personal friend of Sir John. The minister who preceded Mr. White was such. Probably the most ardent admirer of Mr. Dewdney will admit that Senator Macpherson is his superior in every way, and yet his administration was a calamity such as it is to be hoped we will not see again, but which we will most certainly see in a greater degree should Mr. Dewdney accede to the office, if he is to be judged by his North-West record.

The one point attempted to be made in Mr. Dewdney's favor by his advocates is that his appointment is desired by the people of the North-West. Mr. Tims goes so far as to intimate that the proportion is fifty to one in his favor. A few words on that point may not be out of place. It will be remembered that while Mr. Dewdney was still lieutenant-governor he was freely spoken of as a candidate for another term in that office. It is generally understood that he desired a second term, so that those who favored him or desired his favor had an inducement to move in that direction. If he is qualified for the ministry of interior he must certainly have been qualified for a second term as lieutenant-governor. If his prospective appointment to the ministry of interior is so phenomenally popular a continuance of his lieutenant-governorship must certainly have been as popular, and an appeal to the electors by the elective members of the late council on that issue must have swept the country. During the last session of the council it was reported that a notice of motion to that end was given; but the members had so little faith in Mr. Dewdney's popularity, in view of the then pending election, that they declined to face their constituents on the question, and the motion was never made. The members were heartily content to appeal to their constituents without even a splinter from a Dewdney plank in their various platforms. With elections three years distant random assertions regarding percentages in public opinion may be made with comparative safety, but they would have been much more susceptible of proof or refutation if made a month ago, and would then have been entitled to more consideration—which they would certainly have received.

STRAYED

From Clover Bar about June 1st a Sorrel Mare with stripe on face and white spot on hind hip; docked tail; 15½ hands high. Any one returning the same to J. C. Bremner, Clover Bar will be suitably rewarded.

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IN DEFENCE OF DEWDNEY.

DEAR MR. EDITOR,—

In your issue of the 14th inst. I notice (editorially) you assail Hon. Edgar Dewdney, in a most unbecoming, insinuating and vindictive manner.

Your paper is supposed to be an independent one, as far as I have heard since my arrival in the Edmonton district, but the editorial in question is not worthy of the supposed, but rather the reverse; i.e. red hot grit or personal spite.

The sentiments you express are not voiced by one person in every fifty of the population of the Territories, nor of this district of Edmonton, I may also add, as far as can be judged from personal observation.

Like every public official Mr. Dewdney may have made mistakes occasionally in his administration. But what man will not?

The writer remembers very well hearing (before he had either seen, or had the pleasure of being introduced to him) of mistakes made by Mr. Frank Oliver, the proprietor of the EDMONTON BULLETIN, while in the N.W.C. a few years ago, who was continually "kicking" at everything, nearly, but at that august body might bring up for discussion, whether right or wrong. This same "kicking" I have no doubt Mr. Oliver meant well enough from, but like some things Mr. Dewdney may have done, does not always do, nor suit the public interests. I merely mention this to show that other good men than Mr. Dewdney can make errors of judgment in public life.

You speak of Mr. Dewdney's receiving a high salary as putting the sympathies of men who form the backbone of the country against him. This is absurd in the extreme. The backbone of the country know that neither Mr. Dewdney, or any other good man, would have lived in the Territories, occupying his high office for less. His salary is not out of proportion in any way.

Then you say: "He has represented the government interests for so long that the training has necessarily disqualified him from representing the people," which is most ridiculous. As the more training and experience any public official has the better it is for him, and any man with Mr. Dewdney's common sense would be benefitted by it (experience).

Again, you attack his management of the Indians and police and also his lieutenant-governorship and his administration of the permit system, entirely overlooking the fact that he is only one man, the representative of a government whose instructions he had to follow when told to do so, whether those instructions may have coincided with his ideas or not. This is something every government official has to do, no matter whether he may represent the liberal or conservative party; it all depends which is in power.

You talk of the late rebellion as if it was his fault individually, which is worse nonsense than the whole nonsensical attack; as every sensible man in the Territories knows that had Mr. Dewdney's ideas been carried out by the government there would have been no rebellion.

You close with: "The resident of the North-West must be insane who would ask for the administration of our lands, timber and minerals, local government police and Indian affairs by such a man." It is most gratifying to the majority of your readers (as I have previously stated 50 to 1) to be considered insane because we do want Mr. Dewdney to be appointed minister of interior. He is the man who knows the country and its inhabitants, has the ability and business-like capacity to do honor to the position, and the people of the Territories generally will find that, as hitherto, he always has the interests of the settlers at heart.

In conclusion, I would sincerely hope and trust to see shortly officially announced that the gentleman who has until lately so satisfactorily filled the joint offices of Lieutenant-governor and Indian commissioner of the North-West Territories has been appointed minister of the interior, which will give every satisfaction (with nominal exceptions) to the men "who are the backbone of the country," as expressed through the leading papers of these Territories.

Yours faithfully,
F. FRASER TIMS.
Editor EDMONTON BULLETIN, Edmonton,
N. W. T.
Fort Saskatchewan, 18th July, 1888.

In the St. Laurent election the Fish creek poll book was thrown out because the name of Nolin did not appear on it. Although nominated, Nolin had withdrawn, but had not given any official intimation of his intention to do so. In Saskatoon the deputy returning officer's certificate did not appear on the poll book. At Batoche the certificate and poll book did not agree. The poll at these three places was thrown out, which gave Mitchell the election, by 17 majority over Fisher, who in the whole district had a majority of 18.

A destructive hail storm occurred in Calgary about noon on July 13th, breaking sky-lights and damaging gardens.

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| Each additional foot, \$1.00 | |
| Plank, rough, | 20.00 |
| " dressed on 1 side \$30; 2 sides | 30.00 |
| Rough Battens, per M. | 2.00 |
| Fence Pickets, rough, per bundle | 1.00 |
| " " dressed and pointed | 4.00 |
| Shelving, 1 x 10, dressed on 2 sides | 25.00 |
| Inch Lumber, dressed on one side | 30.00 |
| Walnscotting, 1 x 3, dressed on one side and beaded, per M. | 30.00 |
| Lath, per b'dle . . . 8 7. Shingles, per M | 4.00 |
| Panel, per M. . . . 35. Base, per M. | 0.00 |
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| Quarter round | |
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| Band Moulding, per lineal foot | 2c |
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| " 10x10 " " " " 12c " | 14c |

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LOST.

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Forbid the sale of the three head of cattle advertised in the sheriff sale of the 13th inst. at Fort Saskatchewan as they are my property and nothing to do with my father or mother.

RODIE M. TABER.

NOTICE.

Just arrived from Calgary with a fine bunch of horses.

Parties requiring work mares, drivers or saddle horses had better call early and get a good selection. To be seen at Edmonton any time.

MAX. S. INGLIS.

FORT SASKATCHEWAN, N. W. T.

F. FRASER TIMS,

Wholesale and retail dealer in

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NORTHERN NEWS.

Jas. Hyslop and E. Nagle, who wintered on the Athabasca river about 30 miles south of Chipewyan arrived at the Landing on July 13th. Game generally was very scarce around their winter camp, especially rabbits, of which they saw only one track all winter.

Last winter was very severe at lake Athabasca; stormy and cold at times 40 below with hurricane blowing. On account of the severe weather the Indians were frequently unable to hunt, and as rabbits were unusually scarce they suffered greatly from hunger. Sixteen out of one camp of 23 Indians died of starvation at a point about four days' travel north-east of Chipewyan. The Indians sent out provisions to the camp and saved it in the survivors. About fifty Indians, so far as heard, starved to death in the Athabasca district last winter. A half-breed named Harper who was employed in trading north-west of Chipewyan. Trade was good in the fall, but owing to the scarcity of food and bad weather it was poor during the winter.

Lord Lansdowne was at Chipewyan on May 22nd going north.

The steamer Athabasca started on her first trip from Chipewyan up the Peace river to Vermillion on June 4th, and afterwards made a trip to Fort McMurray about June 20th.

Lake Athabasca opened about May 12th. This is earlier than usual.

The ice was still so' on Great Slave lake on June 1st, somewhat later than usual.

C. Stewart left the Landing on May 8th and reached Fort Smith on the 28th, where he met Mr. McBeth with his trade of fur from his post at Fort Resolution, Great Slave lake. Left Fort Smith on June 12th and reached the Landing on July 13th.

The Athabasca was so high this season from McMurray to Chipewyan that boats could not be tracked and had to be rowed up stream 180 miles. Fraser and Stewart doubled up their crew making fourteen men in one boat. They were divided into two gangs who rowed in spells of fifteen minutes each.

Elmore Bros. had arrived at Chipewyan safely and were waiting for the remainder of their goods to come down the river when Messrs. Stewart and Fraser left. They would probably direct their trade up Peace river.

Traders at Chipewyan last winter were the H. B. Co., Colin Fraser, Elmore Bros., Peter Pruden and Villeneuve or "St. J."

C. Fraser traded for the meat of two wood buffalo, killed some 60 miles west of Chipewyan. The skins were dressed into parchment, and showed the animals to be much larger than the prairie buffalo. The band out of which they were killed numbered about 60. Buffalo are also found on the Birch mountains west of Fort McMurray, on Salt river and near Great Slave lake.

The beaver are reported to be dying off in great numbers in the region from Fort McMurray southward, from causes not given; but this is not the case around lake Athabasca or Great Slave lake.

Fish were scarce at lake Athabasca last winter but at Great Slave lake they were plentiful, being caught through the ice all winter.

Last winter was milder at Great Slave lake than at lake Athabasca, although it is about 200 miles farther north.

MARRIAGE.

RUMBALL—STRACHAN—On Saturday the 21st instant, at the residence of W. Johnstone Walker, Esq., Edmonton, by the Rev. D. G. McQueen, B. A., Alfred Hersey Macbeth Rumball, eldest son of Charles Rumball, Esq., of Sidney Point, Muskoka, and nephew of the late general Sir John Hersey, K.C.B., to Jessie Row, fourth daughter of John Strachan, Esq., C. E., of Southampton, England.

DEATH.

McDONALD.—At St. Albert at noon on Saturday, July 21st, Mary Ann wife of J. L. McDonald, of Stony Plain, in the 29th year of her age. Funeral at St. Albert cemetery on Sunday the 22nd.

METEOROLOGICAL.

Weath. report for week ending Saturday morning, July 28th, 1888. Reported for the B. & T. by Mr. Alexander Taylor, observer at Edmonton.

| Saturday | Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|----------|--------|--------|---------|-----------|----------|--------|----------|
| Min. | Max. | Min. | Max. | Min. | Max. | Min. | Max. |
| 47 | 45 | 45 | 53 | 52 | 56 | 42 | 45 |

Barometer rising, 27.900
Average rate of wind for week = 57 miles per hour.
Mean rainfall for week 1.34 inches. From 1st of period to date, 11.74 inches. Corresponding period of 1875-79 inches.

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Beading per lineal ft 1c. Band moulding 2c

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JAMES BROWN,
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Regina, 19th April, 1888.

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